

- **First Place**  
**Enrique Marchetti**
- **Second Place**  
**Jonathan Fenton**
- **Third Place**  
**Mike Norton**
- **Fourth Place**  
**Dave Rienecker**
- **Fifth Place**  
**Patrick Fellowes**

## Falling Plates Championship 2023

### The Story

Saturday July 15, 2023, Coyote Point Rifle & Pistol Club held it's first Falling Plate Pistol Championship. Trophies and cash prizes were awarded to the top five competitors donated by califpistolmatches.org. This match had 18 shooters, making this one of the largest competition held here since the 1960 Bullseye matches. Four RSO secured the event by making sure all safety protocols were enforced. The match ran very smoothly as the lead RSO called forth each shooter, "Phil at bat, Sam on deck, Mike in the hole" giving everyone the chance to come up to the firing line in a rapid orderly fashion. Approaching the firing line with ECI in place, pistol pointed up, two magazines filled

with six rounds each, shooters approached the rapid fire line. Not all shooters has semi auto pistol as Casey Martin used a revolver for his competition gun. Note, this revolver was not "tricked out", it was a standard factory gun with an 12-15 lb trigger!



At the firing line, ammo was loaded and the command "is the shooter ready?" Was yelled as hearing protection muffled even the match director. "Ready" was the needed response. With the pistol pointed down toward a red safety cone in front of the shooting table, a beep from the

timer is heard signaling "Go for it!" six shots were fired in rapid staccato rhythm (at least that's what we were striving for). Numerous gun jams, failure to fire, and plain old jerking the trigger plagued the competitors, otherwise we would have all had an 18 way first place tie.

Words of appreciation to our RSO for securing our safty today. And a final big "thank you" to Enrique Marchetti the match director for planning, coordinating, running and scoring the match. To all our competitors and club president David You, all who took time away from family to attend our match today, your attendance and support was much appreciated.

( By: Roy Sasai)

## The First Big Event of the Year 2023

### Int'l Air Pistol Sectional Championship

On March 11, 2023 Coyote Point Rifle & Pistol Club hosted the International Air Pistol Sectional Championship. Nine shooters attended the match. It was a chilly morning but still a perfect day to shoot.

John Bickar snatched the gold medallion with the score of 562. Alex Kuznetsov took the silver medallion with the score of 526 and Julian Lin got the bronze medallion with a score of 520.

Thank you to CPRPC and the match director "Enrique Marchetti" for his hard work and Mike Norton for stamping the targets with numbers.

(By; Rodolfo Soncuya)

# Falling Plates Champion's



**Jonathan Fenton 2nd place trophy & \$40**



**Mike Norton 3rd place trophy & \$30.**



**4th Place \$20  
5th Place \$10**

**Enrique Marchetti  
Falling Plates Trophy  
Champion 2023  
\$50.00**

Coyote Point shooting range is now open to the public. For more information please check the website [Coyotepointrpc.org](http://Coyotepointrpc.org)

# Air Pistol Sectional Championship

**John Bickar  
Gold  
Medallion**

